

This 10th Day of October 1795 Chas. Colby,
J. Morris, J. Scott, Nathl. & Rogers.

Go. Morris, Morris and the rest of the said estate as
touching his and Gregory Matthews Agreement about
the said and first Marshall indebted to said Estate the
sum of £2.8.6 which ought to be entered in the Account
as Debt against the said Marshall. Nathl. Rogers
Chas. Colby, J. Morris. 24th Oct. 1795.

At a Court held for Cuyahoga County Decr. 24th 1796
The within account Current of the Estate of
Gregory Matthews Dead with the Executors together
with the supplemental account herewith filed were
exhibited in Court and Ordered to be recorded.
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Attest D. Magister C. C. C. & C.

In the name of God Amen I, Joseph
Williston of Cuyahoga County being of sound mind &
understanding and sensible of the uncertainty of life
Do

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I do hereby and ordain this my last Will and
Testament recommending my wife to God to be buried
beside of her own family through Jesus Christ, and my
body to be buried to be decently entombed, hereby revoking
all my former Wills, I do Stand to my beloved wife
during her widowhood the house and tenement wherein
I now live, containing three hundred Acres and known
by the name of Turpins Lot, also two Negroes by
name Dana and Phillis after which to be sold to
my son John Hudson Burton to him and his
Heirs forever. Also Stand to my wife during her
natural life four Negroes (viz: Pally, Rachel, Ben & Maria
after which to be sold to my following children (viz:
Alexander Burton, William Burton, Robert Burton,
Jesse Burton, Nancy Burton, Sally Burton and John
Hudson Burton to them and their Heirs forever
I leave one third part of my household furniture
I leave Agnes and bequeath unto my daughter Patsy
I leave twenty shillings to her and her Heirs forever
I leave Agnes and bequeath unto my son Alexander
Burton the three Hundred Acres of Land I bought of
Thomas Jefferson

Quaker the three Hundred Acres of Land bought of
Thomas Jefferson and known by the name of Ballou
Lot to him and his heirs forever. I then give
and bequeath unto my son John Barton
the three hundred Acres of Land, Sales bought of
the Jefferson, and known by the name of Jeffersons
Lot to him and his heirs forever. I then say Will
and desire is that the five hundred Acres of Land
bought of Joseph Anthony and Thomas Butler
be sold by my Executors and the Money arising
from the sale thereof to be equally divided
amongst my following sons (viz) William Barton
Robert Barton and Isaac Burton to them and
their heirs forever. I then give and bequeath
unto my son Maranda Burton seven Negroes (viz)
Lewis, Jonas, Rose, Nelson, Peter, Black Judah
and Jeffery to him and his heirs forever. I then
give and bequeath unto my son William Barton
seven Negroes (viz) Tom, Uley, Aros, Dick, Matthew
Mary Lucy to him and his heirs forever.

Wm.

Memorandum and bequeath unto my son Robert Denton six
 Negroes (viz) Nancy, Eliza, Isaac, Patsy, Dora, and Harriette
 to him and his heirs forever. Memorandum and bequeath unto my
 son Jesse Denton five Negroes (viz) Paul, Molly, Esther, Little
 Ned, and Cinnamon to him and his heirs forever. Memorandum
 and bequeath unto my daughter Nancy Denton
 seven Negroes (viz) Jacob, Margaret, Little Jacob, Hannah, Edmund,
 Asahel, and Stephen to her and her heirs forever. Memorandum
 and bequeath unto my daughter Sally Denton seven
 Negroes (viz) Anne, Harriette, Kate, George, Fida, Bridget and
 Betsy to her and her heirs forever. Memorandum and bequeath
 unto my son John D. Denton nine Negroes (viz) Joseph, Judith,
 Anthony, Aaron, Nancy, Chinner, Solomon, Patsy, and Ned
 to him and his heirs forever. This is my Will and desire
 that my Estate be kept together, untill all my just Debts
 are paid, and the profits arising therefrom to be contribu-
 ted towards the payment of my Debts. Also all the
 Mortgage due me to be collected and applied to the same
 purpose. Memorandum and bequeath unto my four sons, -
 William, Robert, Jesse, and John D. Denton all the remains
 of my Estate not already bequeathed, except my high blooded
 Mare which I bequeath to my sons Alexander & John D.

of my wife Mary which I bequeath to my sons Alexander & John B.
Burton her and her increase to them and their heirs
forever. And except her land, cattle, her household goods & her
Houses which I leave my wife during her life my desired
Will is that my two single daughters also have each a
house and land from my Estate the houses to be valued at
Twenty Pounds each. My Will and desire is that if
either of my sons die before they arrive to Twenty years and
without Heir, that my Estate be divided amongst the
survivors of them, and if either of my two single Daughters
die before Marriage ~~or after~~ Marriage without leaving
Issue that then their portion return to me and be equally
divided amongst the then surviving Children & my
Heirs in both cases excepted. I Do hereby constitute and
appoint my son Alexander Burton, William Anderson
and my brother Philip Burton, Executors to this my
last Will and Testament. In Witness whereof I have
hereunto set my hand and Seal this 19th Day of January
1805

John Cabell
Wm. Anderson
Math. Murray

John Burton

At Court held for Congress County Decemr 18
1798

Sheweth That the said Court of Congress
County Georgia was presided by the Court of
George Cabell, William Shreve and Walter Maxwell
Witnesses thereto subscribed and ordered to be recorded
and on the Motion of Alexander Burtan one
of the Executors in the said Wills named who
made Oath thereto according to Law Certificate
is granted him for obtaining Probate thereof
and for giving Security. Whereupon he together
with William Martin, Richard Melt and
George Cabell his Securities entered into and acknowledged
their Bond in the Penalty of Twenty Thousand
Dollars conditioned according to Law for the said
Executors due and faithful Administration of
the said Decedents Estate and Performance of
his Wills. Scherby being deceased the other
Executors in the said Wills named to join
in the Probate thereof when they shall think
fit.